REEK FROM MISSISSIPPI TAKEN ILL AT GREGORY.

tine Deaths and Sixty-one New Cases in New Orleans Yesterday-Remarkable Mildness of the Disease at Patterson, La., Which Has Had Only One Death.

KEOKUK, Ia.; Aug. 21.-Yellow fever's vasion of the north was reported to-day om Gregory, Mo. In that town, eleven iles southwest of Keokuk, a case has en discovered, which is declared to be enuine yellow fever. The victim is a reek laborer, who went to Gregory from atchez, Miss. He is a member of a rail-

ad construction gang. Up to the time of the discovery of this Keokuk has felt secure against the ague. Now, however, there is much arm, both among the health authorities d the general public.

The case at Gregory was diagnosed by F. A. S. Rebo of Alexandria. As soon as said it was genuine yellow fever he tifled Keokuk. As a result Keokuk's ysicians have gone to Gregory. The tim there has been isolated and a quartine guard thrown about the railway borers' camp.

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 21.-The death at tterson, La., of Moses Rodehorst of New rleans, a chief nurse, calls attention to of the mysteries of yellow fever. here have been eighty cases of fever mong the natives of Patterson, but the sease, although brought from New Orans, is of so much milder type than that this city that this has been the only death, e mortality being only a little over 1 per nt. The mildness at Patterson no one s been able to explain, but similar inci-

nts have occurred in every previous idemic, the fever from some unknown use becoming so modified as not to be a serious character.

The death of Rodehorst is not to be The death of Rodehorst is not to be arged against Patterson, for the disease is contracted by him in New Orleans, weloping the day after his arrival and owing the difference in the malignity the fever in the two towns. Rodehorst me to Patterson to take charge of the rising of the yellow fever patients there. It was an experienced nurse, had served such with the United States army in its, and was supposed to have had the llow fever and to be immune.

"At Riverside plantation, near Pattern, the fever continues to extend. There e already sixty-six sick there and there

At Riverside plantation, near Pattern, the fever continues to extend. There
e already sixty-six sick there and there
ve been three deaths. The owner of the
intation, Gen. Seenor, has undertaken
e entire expense of the campaign against
e fever and has sent to New Orleans for
the nurses needed.

e fever and has sent to New Orleans for the nurses needed. The Alabama board of health has di-ted that all freight may be brought into abama from New Orleans if the cars funigated beforehand. The fruit can-g industry of Alabama has been shut win because of the exhaustion of the stock sugar and the prohibition against imports on New Orleans.

om New Orleans. Nine deaths and sixty-one new cases are reported to-day. en Detained From Panama Steamer.

Nine cabin passengers and six of the crew the Panama Railroad Company's steamp Finance, in yesterday from Colon, re transferred to Hoffman Island for re transferred to Hoffman Island for servation. None was ill, but all had high mperatures. Among the Finance's pas-agers were Capt. E. L. King and Dr. H. A. anafeld of the canal force, Major V. anderman, a retired British army officer o was wounded in the Boer war and is king a tour of the world, and sixty-two pal employees, who were laid off because the temporary abandonment of work on the temporary abandonment of work on Culebra division.

CRIME OF A JEALOUS MAN. wford Kills His Wife and Himself With a Shoe Knife.

BROCKTON, Mass., Aug. 21.-James W.

a shoe knife that was found near the of the bed. Then he had cut his own oat with a razor, which had dropped on the floor below his right hand, which g limp outside the bed clothing. esterday they wrote letters to relatives

response to one of these letters, a hew came to this city this forenoon called at the house. Failing to get in looked through a window into the occupied by the couple, and there

letter was written vesterday by Crawto this nephew, giving a motive for rime. In this letter a Brockton business is mentioned as the cause of jealousy he part of Crawford. The letter also that the writer would commit suicide that they would go together.

LMIST'S PREDICTION TRUE. Laughlin Had a Change of Luck Was Arrested for Theft.

ames McLaughlin and his girl called street last night. After inspecting lines of James McLaughlin's hand taking tintypes of the girl, the palmist ded him this slip:

You will have a change of luck. You going to leave the city for a time. Be eful that nobody approaches you from and fortune will smile on you." and and fortune will smile on you."

IcLaughlin and his girl walked up

adway. At Thirty-second street a man

bbed him from behind, saying: "What

you do with that \$25 you took from

wifa?"

liceman, on complaint of this man was Charles Devine of 427 West Fifty-d street, arrested McLaughlin on a rge of grand larceny. Mrs. Devine that McLaughlin, who is her cousin, e away with the family rent money, last weak. away with the family rent money, ast week. McLaughlin is 19 and lives 27 Broome street.

LEGED CHECK ARTIST HELD. W Yorker Who Passed Worthless Paper

Had Plan to Catch Dishonest Men. HICAGO, Aug. 21.—C. J. Cochran of New k, who several days ago, it is alleged, sed a worthless check for \$1,000 on the ditorium Hotel, was to-day held in the ninal court by Justice Prindiville under e Repetto of the Auditorium after check had been returned from Fore-n Bros. Bank marked "No funds." ochran had sought to interest the hotel ple in a scheme to protect themselves inst dishonest waiters. He said that \$150 he could furnish a list of hotel ees who had been found to be dis-

tro Who Was Shot Over Crap Game May Die.

harles Brown, a negro, of 221 West ty-first street, who shot Alonzo Bell, negro, of 219 West Sixty-third street, Sunday night, was held without bail by cistrate Mayo, in the West Side Police or yesterday.

two years and during that time he has a shot five times. He is wanted by police for burglary and assault and other in a serious condition. shooting was over a game of craps.

ath from Stepping on Rusty Tack. rman Deile, a wholesale provision der at 89 Jackson street, Hoboken, died tarday of blood poison, superinduced a rusty carpet tack which he ran into foot about a month ago. He leaves a low and six children.

LIVE TOPICS ABOUT TOWN.

There is a curious little fad among chorus girls and show girls for looking like some well known actress. Lillian Russell has probably had the most imitators, with Mrs. Leslie Carter a close second. A certain general resemblance in height and features is all that is needed. Wigs, makeup and costumes do the rest. On Fifth avenue the other day appeared a young woman who was a ringer for Ethel Barrymore.

Persons who live in the smaller cities are used to seeing conductors of trolley cars flag railroad crossings, but the sight is unusual in New York. There are only two crossings that are not guarded by regular flagmen. They are at Broadway and Seventh avenue on Fifty-third street, through which a car runs occasionally from Sixth to Ninth avenue.

At these points the conductor runs ahead of his car in truly rural style. Many tales have been told of the "finest

but the ingenuity of a Newark cop on trial for neglect of duty is hard to beat. A jewelry shop had been entered and a tray of jewels carried off under the very eyes of the cop. On trial the following conversation took place between the Police

conversation took place between the Police Commissioner and the accused:

"Why didn't you see the man?"

"I did see him, your Honor, and asked him what he was doing hanging around."

"What did he say?"

"He said he was lookin' into the location; as he was goin' in for jewelry himself."

"Well, he did. He robbed the store."

"Well, your Honor, even if he was a thief; he was no liar."

All the convenience of city life with fresh vegetables right off the vine is what landords can offer tenants in the neighborhood of West End avenue, between Ninetyfourth and Ninety-fifth streets. The west side of the avenue there is an unbuilt block, extending nearly through to Riverside Drive, and an enterprising man with a farmer's training has turned it into a truck garden, with rotating crops of peas, beans, cucumbers, lettuce, corn, tomatoes, onions and

Every afternoon the paths are filled with daintily dressed women ordering their dinner vegetables and seeing them plucked or pulled before their eyes. The man makes a bigger income from his half acre, probably, than any other farmer for miles

Alas! So the great have fallen. A dry goods store uptown advertises: "All the Fifty Cents Poets for Nineteen

Over in Brooklyn a stranger from Manhattan strolling one night lately along one of the residence streets was surprised to see a lamp burning in a front yard. He crossed the street to investigate and found gathered a number of persons, who were examining something with interest.

The stranger without the fence was cordially invited in. There he found that the object of interest was a night blooming certain in full bloom. The big white bloom shed its fragrance all about and was greatly admired by all. As the stranger had never seen one before he considered his night was not wasted.

The addition to the Woodbridge Building in William street has brought into plain view a case of economy in building which the high value of land in lower New York enforces. At the northwest corner of Platt and Gold streets is a building which on each street presents an imposing appearance. It is only when viewed from the pearance. It is only when viewed from the rear, now exposed to make room for its colossal neighbor, that the sham of the building is disclosed. It is built in the shape of a rectangular wedge and the rear elevation off Platt street is just about forty inches wide, soarcely broad enough to accommodate a ladderlike flight of stairs giving access to the upper floors.

System is of course, a prime necessity in business, but it sometimes jars just a wford, aged 3, and his wife, who was plain, ordinary citizen to discover how newhat younger, were found dead in completely business system covers him ir beds to-day at their home on Ford in all his relations. One of the commercial completely business system covers him equipment houses keeps in stock printed man evidently had killed his wife index cards with a choice collection of tion of theology and religious faith and practise. To go out into the highways and hedges is commanded, but it seems not a little odd to discover that some person is keeping tab on one with the assistance of a card index.

> He stopped at the corner news stand and, fingering over some loose change, handed the dealer a fifty cent piece, asking for the latest number of a certain ten cent magazine. So apparent was his satisfaction as he received the magazine and the 40 cents change that his companion inquired the reason.

> "Why," explained the purchaser, "as you know, I've just returned from China, and this is the way they sell American

magazines there."
He took from his wallet a little circular printed on green paper. It read: rinted on green paper. It read:
Good Periodicals.—On sale at South China
forning Post bookstalis, at tram stations,
nd Blake Pier. For the ladies: The Deneator. June number, 60 cts. The Ladies'
fome Journal, May number, 60 cts. Everyody's Magazine, May number. 60 cts.
funzey's [sic] Magazine, May number, 50 cts.
lso a good stock of latest cheap novels.

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Also a good stock of latest cheap novels.

"After paying prices like that for magazines," remarked the traveler, "\$2.30 for half a dollar's worth, it's good fun to get a magazine and 40 cents change on half a dollar. And," he added, waxing philosophical, "just imagine what the cheap novels would be half a dollar for the last Nick Carter story! Think of the poor cabin boy, off on shore leave, stacking up against a proposition like that! Maybe the price list wouldn't make him long for the good old East Side!"

As the curtain goes up he is in momentary expectation of hearing of a promotion to a better place at £600 a year and house rent free. In this, of course, he is disappointed. For a few moments it seems to him that his life has been a failure. It is the good office of his wife to persuade him that he is mistaken. The success of her effort is the close of a pretty story, prettily told.

Margaret Illington as the wife and Ernest Lawford as the husband were both earnestly and deservedly applauded.

The other afternoon a cellarette was added to the equipment of a certain uptown flat wherein dwells a single man. The addition was not wholly unconnected with the depletion of the man's stock of bottled goods on the days when the woman came in to do the cleaning. For the same reason a cabinet was selected with a catch underneath instead of upon the door.

The next morning the man went down town, leaving the cleaner in charge, and thought no more of the matter until evening, when there was a ring on the telephone and his sister gave him greeting. "What foolish thing have you been buy-ing now?" she demanded.
"Nothing foolish," was the response.

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"I just bought a cellarette." "Can you get into it?" she asked, "or did you get stuck as well as the door."

"It's one of those things with a trick catch," he explained. "You kick a spring on the bottom and it opens up."

"Then it's all right," came in relieved tones. "Mary was just here and was telling me that you had just bought a cupboard without any doors. I couldn't imagine what you had been up to."

"I got it on Mary's account," he explained. 'I got it on Mary's account," he explained.

"She's been at the bottles and I wanted to get one she couldn't open."

"Well, you have," was the assurance.
"She says she has examined all four sides and the top and 'divviea door' can she find."

Four dusky sightseers, a man and three women from somewhere east of Gibraltar, attracted general attention one day last week downtown as they rolled along in a carriage. The gentleman, clad in a turban and white linen, with his back to the horses, and white linen with his back to the horses, was enjoying a cigar. Packed together, but in the seat of honor opposite him, were the three ladies, much bejeweled and muffled to the eyes in correct Oriental fash-

Male visitors in all social positions and from every clime are common enough in New York, but veiled ladies from Eastern harems may be classed as rare.

HOW THEY FOUND "JUNGBORN"

AUTOISTS BUMP INTO ITS FENCE AND GET A SURPRISE.

Told By Party of Barefoot Men to Keep Out, as There Were "Twenty Nude Women Within Taking Sun and Sand Baths"-Settlement of Nature Lovers.

PATERSON, N. J., Aug. 21.-An automobile party traveling through Butler this morning got off the main road and after going some distance over a corduroy country road bumped into a ten foot stockade. The auto had no sooner stopped grunting than several men without shoes and stockings and their trousers rolled up to their knees rushed up to the autoparty, and one of them said:

"You can't go in there. Don't you know that there are twenty nude women within taking sun and sand baths?"

Members of the auto party were skeptical until they, were told that they had run upon the private grounds of "Jungborn," a settlement of nature lovers who are practising the simple life for the purpose of regaining

The settlement was established several years ago and now numbers among its members artists, musicians and professional men who are striving to get close to nature by living in the open air as much as possi ble, drinking, as far as possible, nothing but spring water, and eating nuts and regetables chiefly at all meals in their eighty foot bungalow.

The colony owns fifty acres of ground and the property for the most part is in a delightful dell surrounded on three sides by woods. The higher ground toward the woods is dotted with tents where the memwoods is dotted with tents where the members sleep. Those who cannot stand the open air at first are put in rooms in the rear of the bungalow or in log cabins.

Benedict Lust, the director of "Jungborn," believes that people would not have to use medicine if they would place themselves in the care of nature when ill.

Many musicians are in the settlement and in the evening there are concerts in the

in the evening there are concerts in the bungalow. Literary and other exercises are also part of the program of nightly

IRISH FOREMAN DIDN'T SUIT.

Italians Object to Discharge of Fellev Countryman and Revolt-Two Arrested. An Italian foreman in charge of a mixed

gang which is excavating at Shippen street and Central avenue, West Hoboken, for a shaft for the Pennsylvania Railroad tunnel was discharged yesterday and an Irishman was appointed in his place. Seventeen Italian workmen objected to the change and announced that they wouldn't work under the new boss. They were told to quit and directed to go to the timekeeper for their pay.
While waiting for their money they threat

ened to do up the Irishman, and a hurry call was sent to the town hall for cops. Po-licemen McCarthy and Gaillard went to licemen McCarthy and Gaillard went to the shaft opening and ordered the men away as soon as they were paid off. Edward Mentosti, 32 years old, of 559 Central ave-nue, refused to go and was arrested. August Tumasoli, 28 years old, of 619 Trap-hagan street, it is said, offered the cops \$2 if they would let Mentosti go, and he also was locked up.

BLANCHE WALSH BACK.

Billy B. Van at the Fourteenth Street-"Hearts of Gold" at the American. Miss Blanche Walsh appeared last night

at the Madison Square Theatre in "The Woman in the Case," by Clyde Fitch, in which she met with great success here last season. Miss Walsh was greeted enthusiastically by an audience that completely filled the little theatre. Miss Walsh will remain at the Madison Square for two weeks Billy B. Van and his company opened for

two weeks of funmaking in "The Errand Boy" at the Fourteenth Street Theater last night. The piece has been brought up to date and the supporting company is first class. The numerous songs in the show were loudly applauded, especially those rendered by the Church City Quartet.

"Hearts of Gold," a romantic play, by Jay Hunt, opened at the American Theatre st night and was well received. Maurice Freeman, who for two seasons appeared as leading man in the stock company of the American Theater, has the leading male rôle, and a large number of his old followers were out to welcome him.

NEW PLAY AT THE LYCEUM.

Maker of Men" a Serious Curtain Raiser to an Old Favorite Comedy.

The Lyceum was opened for the sesson last night with the return of Augustus Thomas's brilliant comedy "Mrs. Leffingwell's Boots." Added interest was given the occasion by the first presentation of "A Maker of Men." a one act piece by Alfred

"A Maker of Men" concerns itself principally with the question as to whether a clerk, having reached the age of 42, with a lovely wife and a family of three boys, ought to be happy on a salary of £300 a year.

As the curtain goes up he is in momentary As the curtain goes up he is in momentary expectation of hearing of a promotion to a better place at £600 a year and house rent free. In this, of course, he is disappointed. For a few moments it seems to him that his life has been a failure. It is the good office of his wife to persuade him that he is emistable. The success of

"FANTANA" MAY STAY.

Longer on Broadway.

Jefferson De Angelis and the company appearing in "Fantana" at the Lyric Theater may not be sent on the road after all this but be kept right in New York. The Lyric Theater will soon be turned over to De Wolf Hopper in "Happy Land," and Lee Shubert had expected to send "Fantana" to Boston. The piece continues to do so good a business that the Shuberts see no reason why it should not be kept here this winter.

Accordingly, they are after another Broadway Theater and hope to get it in time to move "Fantana" there for an opening on Oct. 2. News of Plays and Players.

Edward Peple, author of "The Prince Chap," which will be produced at the Madison Square Theater Monday, Sept. 4, will arrive to-day from his summer residence at Lake Bonaparte, in the Adirondacks, to attend rehearsals.

The first dress rehearsal of Clyde Fitch's "Her Great Match," in which Maxine Elliott

is to appear, will take place to-morrow The play will be produced in Syracuse of The play will be produced in Syracuse on Aug. 31, and it will open at the Criterion Theater on Monday, Sept. 4.

Manager Williams announces the opening of the Colonial Theater, next Monday. During the summer the place has undergone many improvements. Some of the attractions booked are Dan McAvoy and his Fifth Avenue Girls, John C. Rice and Sally Cohen, Henry Lee and Helen Bertram.

Seaman Curl Drowned. NABRAGANSETT PIER, R. I., Aug. 21 .-

While standing on the gunwale of a launch from the battleship Alabama at Newport, Seaman Curl fell overboard and was drowned. It is supposed that he struck a rock and was stunned. His bealy has LETTER THREATENED JEWS.

Received by Philip Cowes-Stolen, He Says, Just Before Bombs Were Sent There was made public yesterday a letter which Philip Cowen of the American

Hebrew says he received through the mails last April. The names Zantif Parovitz, president; Al Rosen, vice-president, and Lincoln Bolen, secretary, were signed The senders informed Mr. Cowen that

they had organized the Secret Society of the Oppressors of the Selfish, Greedy Jews of the Western Hemisphere and would begin murdering Jev.s as soon as the mem-bership was increased by ten. They were itussians, they said, and against the Jews because "they play low down, inhuman tricks in feigning to be poor and begging for charity while their moneybags over-flow."

for charity while their moneybags overflow."

"I do not regret," the letter continues,
"to let you know that you will be surprised in the near future by finding many prominent Jews mysteriously put to death,
and also many Christians who have been giving aid to the Jews or married Jews,
as we class them as traitors of Christianity,
and they are deserving of the same fate.
I also must tell you that my men are very
busy studying the records of the Jew
business men, and at present there are
362 of these on the blacklist, besides
some prominent theater managers, prizefighters, police sergeants and other Jews
who, I am glad to say, will get a warm
reception when I begin business.

"Your own record will be looked up
and I hope your name will never be in the
blacklist, but if it happens to get there
I will at least pity you.

"I write this to you for one reason; that
is, when a few prominent Jews are missing

"I write this to you for one reason; that is, when a few prominent Jews are missing you will have the honor of solving the mystery of their disappearance, and seeing you are an American Jew I think you deserve it."

Mr. Cowen said he was not in the least alarmed over the letter. He preserved it as a curiosity and read it many times to guests and friends.

Last Wednesday he had a party of acquaintances at dinner and brought out the letter. That is the last he saw of it and he is obliged to think that some one of his guests took it with him.

The singular coincidence in connection with the case, Mr. Cowen says, is that the bombs were sent to Mr. Schiff and the Messrs. Guggenheim the day after the letter was taken from him.

\$100,000 FOR AUDUBON SOCIETY. President Dutcher Has a Promise of Legacy-Mrs Sage Joins.

The National Association of Audubon Societies gained a recruit yesterday when Mrs. Russell Sage sent her check for \$100 and became a life member. President William Dutcher, whose office

is at 141 Broadway, also received a visit yesterday from a man noted in the financial world, who left a check and, in the course of an extended conversation, assured President Dutcher that he had made provision in his will for an Audubon fund of \$100,000 the interest of which is to be devoted to carrying on the society's work. C. S. Dodge, wife of Gen. Dodge, also sent her

Mrs. Sage became interested in the Audubon work first through her friend Helen Gould. Mrs. Sage's practical interest developed, however, when she began visiting the park as an invalid in September last and became a friend of the squirrels. "I esteemed it a great privilege to become

a life member of the Audubon Society, said Mrs. Sage at noon yesterday. Around her frisked no less than nineteen bushy tailed little animals, while another perched on her knee and another on the back of the bench on which Mrs. Sage was seated.

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"Not only have I regained my health by my daily visits to the feeding grounds, but I have noted the uplifting tendency of the work that is being done through the birds and squirrels among the children of New York city.

"There is a great work to do right here in Central Park. During the present week we are going to organize the Central Park Branch of the Audubon Society and expect to enlist some powerful workers. Mrs. Dodge has promised her active support and so have Mrs. Choate, Miss Harriet bingham, Miss Adelaide Stimson, Dr. Joseph Simms, a number of prominent educators, Commissioner Pallas and others. We are going to see to it that the bird and animal life of Central Park is cared for this winter going to see to it that the bird and admini-life of Central Park is cared for this winter as never before. To this end we hope to enlist the cooperation of many leaders in the social and business life of the city."

TO COOL THE HIPPODROME.

rest of the New Refrigerating Plant Yesterday Made Workmen Put Coats On.

A large number of architects, engineers and mechanical experts were at the Hippodrome yesterday on the invitation of Thompson & Dundy to witness a test of the refrigerating plant. The lowest temperature recorded at the test was 52 degrees, while outside the thermometer registered 81, a difference of 29 degrees. In addition the air was pure and dry. So cold was it that workmen had to don their coats. As a tule, when the season opens, a tem-

perature 10 degrees lower than that outside will be maintained The plant will make the playhouse cooler than a roof garden. It has a capacity of 150 tons of ice a day and there are also two tanks in which 150 tons additional can be power motors and passes through a series of coils and screens, through which water is constantly pumped at a temperature of 32 degrees. Purified and dry, the air is sent to the various parts of the auditorium. Exhaust fans take it through the roof, thus insuring a constant circulation.

The plant in full operation consumes daily 20,000 gallons of brine, 2,000 pounds of ammonia and twelve tons of coal.

NOISELESS BLASTS WANTED. Contractor Must Not Interfere With Sleep

/Vice-Chancellor Stevenson, sitting in Chancery Chambers, Jersey Cit y, yesterday, continued for one month the temporary injunction obtained by Mrs. Katie Rutz, the boarding house keeper at Shippen street and Central avenue, West Hoboken, restraining blasting operations between the hours of 6 P. M. and 6 A. M. in the excavation for the Pennsylvania Railroad tunnel shaft adjoining her premises.

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The shaft has been sunk through solid rock to a depth of about thirty feet. Mrs. Rutz declared that the detonations at night made sleep impossible. The Vice-Chancellor said the company has the right under its franchise to build the shaft and tunnel, and the work must be done but the constructhe work must be done, but the construc-tion company has no greater right than an individual to carry on business so as to annoy persons on the surrounding premises. He said that when the con-tractors can come before him with proof that they have a plan to prevent any further nuisance the restraining order will be dis-

COMPLAINANT THE THIEF. Heyman, Who Reported Robbery of Him-

yesterday morning and said that while

he was out of his room some one had entered

the Coney Island police court this morning.

self and Roommate, Leeked Up. Frederick Heyman, 27 years old, who lives at the Capitol Hotel, Surf avenue and Fifteenth street, Coney Island, walked into the Coney Island police station early.

he was out of his room some one had entered and taken \$2s in cash, his gold watch and chain and \$3i0 in cash belonging to his roommate, Julius Oppenheimer.

Capt. Dooley and Detective Owen immediately started an investigation and arrested Heyman yesterday afternoon. When he was brought to the police station he was indignant and surprised, but it only needed a little rear room police persuasion to get him to admit that he was the thief himself. He will be arraigned in the Coney Island police court this morning.

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A narrow band of black ribbon tied to he door bell of the old fashioned ramshackle tenement at 743 Third avenue told yesterday of the death of old Mrs. Mary Kull, the owner of the house. She died on rags, in a dilapidated bed, surrounded by broken furniture, bare walls, with cobwebs overhead and evidences of poverty everywhere. Yet she was worth

nearly \$100,000. Many years ago Mary Mang, then about 7 years old, came to this country from the university town of Teplitz in Austria She was a good looking young woman and she won the heart of Joseph Kull director of the old Bull's Head Bank. They were married in the old

Lutheran church in Ann street. For over two score and ten years Mrs. Kull lived happily with her husband in West Twenty-third street, then a fashionable section of the city. Twenty-three years ago Mr. Kull died. Having neither children nor near relatives, Mrs. Kull lived alone and soon became known as a miser. lled to the woman and Attention was called to the woman and her ways in February, when she appeared in the Yorkville police court against a man named Weber, a tenant in her house. He was charged with assaulting her. Mrs. Kull's condition was such that she was removed to the home of her cousin, Mrs. Carl Heim of 309 East Forty-eighth street. Carl Heim of 309 East Forty-eighth street. It was then that the police examined her rooms. As a result of the inspection the Health Department was notified. In the junk and trash ordered to be removed \$9,000 was found secreted in pillows, matteresses and care.

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A niece, Miss Susan Mang of 2438 Lorillard avenue, The Bronx, tried to care for the old woman, but she insisted upon living alone in her house. Then Mrs. Kull added a collection of cate to her household effects. As the cate increased the tenants departed, until the old woman was left alone. She imagined that she had many more years to live and refused to make a will. Her property, which consists of tenements and cash in bank, goes to some five nephews and nieces and a cousin.

STORK IN PIGEON FEATHERS.

Roosts in Unaccustomed Latitude and

Perturbs Hotel Netherland Guests. The manager of the Hotel Netherland at Fifth avenue and Fifty-ninth street discovered yesterday that he was entertaining a guest who contributed nothing to his revenue and did not even take the trouble to register. The guest was a source of annoyance to some of the paying patrons, and the manager decided to dispossess the squatter, which was nothing more nor less than a hen carrier pigeon that had made her home on a ledge near the top of

the building. Mrs. Pigeon had hastily constructed a rude nest on the ledge as she heard the call of the stork and depositing two eggs therein proceeded to set on them. Where she came from no one about the hotel knew. She had probably been on a homing flight when her maternal instincts induced her to seek a resting place, and liking the looks of the Hotel Netherland she dropped down

She might not have been disturbed in She might not have been disturbed in her new quarters if some pigeons of the common variety had not gathered about the ledge and set up a great cooing that annoyed the hotel guests. Mrs. Pigeon herself remained silent in her nest while she was being serenaded by the gallants of the common tribe.

One of the hotel employees took the pigeon, her nest and the two eggs from the ledge

her nest and the two eggs from the ledge and carried them to the Central Park me-nagerie and turned them over to Director Smith. The eggs were taken to the flying cage and put in the dovecote and the pigeon also was liberated there. Without making any tuss over her temporary impigeon also was illustrated there. Without making any fuss over her temporary imprisonment she climbed upon the eggs again as though determined to stick until the youngsters were hatched out.

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Jamaica, on Aug. 3, and was long overdu-here. John A. Donald, president of the Donald Steamship Company and owner of the Athos, has repeatedly declared that she would be reported drifting and making repairs. His young son, Douglas, two of the boy's schoolmates and their teacher are taking a vacation cruise, which will last twice as long as they expected, on the

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